

IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Ahmed EZZAT

Confirmation No.:

Application No.: 10/769,594

Examiner:

Filing Date: 01/30/04

Group Art Unit:

Title: PROVIDING A FLEXIBLE MODEL IN A COMPUTER SYSTEM BY DECOUPLING
PROTECTION FROM COMPUTER PRIVILEGE LEVEL

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Preliminary Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment")
() Other: (fee \$)


CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	25	MINUS	23	= 2	X \$18	\$ 36
INDEP. CLAIMS	5	MINUS	5	= 0	X \$86	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$290	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 36

Charge \$ 36 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date of Deposit: 02/23/04

Typed Name: Desiree Caldwell

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Respectfully submitted,

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In re Application of

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Washington D.C. 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered
before examination.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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